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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

COLUMN 3:

Line 2, "an" should read --a--.

COLUMN 4:

Line 48, "incident" should read --are incident--.

COLUMN 7:

Line 59, "image" should read --images--.

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COLUMN 11:

Line 57, "so called a" should read --a so-called--.

COLUMN 12:

Line 66, "appraise" should read --apprise--.

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